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: Group Art Unit: 3629
Application No.: 09/750,167)
: Filed: December 29, 2000)
: For: REMOVABLE DIGITAL)
STORAGE MEDIA RENTAL : May 2, 2005

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